

General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on Labor and Public Employees

Introduced by: (LAB)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF EMPLOYER IN THE FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Subdivision (4) of section 31-51kk of the general statutes is
- 2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective from
- 3 passage):
- 4 (4) "Employer" means a person engaged in any activity, enterprise
- 5 or business who employs seventy-five or more employees <u>in the state</u>,
- 6 and includes any person who acts, directly or indirectly, in the interest
- 7 of an employer to any of the employees of such employer and any
- 8 successor in interest of an employer, but shall not include the state, a
- 9 municipality, a local or regional board of education, or a private or
- 10 parochial elementary or secondary school. The number of employees
- of an employer shall be determined on October first annually;

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:

Section 1 from passage 31-51kk(4)

Statement of Purpose:

To clarify that the Family and Medical Leave Act only applies to employers employing seventy-five or more employees in the state.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]